

# Alpha Chi Rho

## Alumni Newsletter

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September 1989

### Homecoming

A positive attitude has hit the Brothers of Phi Mu Chi and we would like to pass it on to our Alumni at Homecoming '89. Lock Haven University will be holding Homecoming activities on the weekend of October 20, 21, and 22. The main event of the weekend will be, as usual, the football game. The Bald Eagles will face the Clarion Eagles at 2 p.m..

We are planning much the same activities as last year. On Friday evening, there will be a social gathering for all Alumni, their guests, and Undergraduate Brothers at the House. On Saturday afternoon, there will be a cookout. Also, the first annual Alumni/Undergraduate Wiffle Ball Challenge will be held. Later that evening, there will be a dinner spread in the dining room. We will have lots of good food, drink, and dancing. Sunday will be Recuperation Day.

Your attendance is greatly appreciated. Babysitters will be provided and anyone who wishes to stay at the House is certainly welcome. For privacy sake, here is a list of Hotels and Motels :

Holiday Inn at Lamar	717-726-4901
The Clintonian at LH	717-748-8057
The Fallon Queen at LH	717-748-7477
The Keystone at LH	717-748-8017
Lock Haven Motel	717-726-4181
Mohawk at LH	717-748-4003
EconoLodge at Wmsport	717-326-1501
Holiday Inn at Wmsport	717-326-1981

## House News

Improvements to the House, although they've been slow but sure, have occurred. A ceiling has been placed in the basement to conceal open pipes and wires. The other room in the basement has been given new lighting and a paint job. The Crest in the living room has been completed. Special thanks for that job goes to Bill Shields. The library has been reorganized and given a desk/chair set. All of the rooms now have furniture. The one room which still needs a lot of work is the kitchen. The cabinets and woodwork are in such poor shape that we have just not had the time to do a proper job on it. Any suggestions from you on how we may improve the House are always accepted.

## Announcements

Brother Reed Mellinger wishes to inform us that he has taken a position as Computer Coordinator for Winnisquam Regional School District in Tilton, NH.

Brother Steve Turchetta and his wife Sue are the proud parents of Kyle Anthony, born on 4 March 1989.

Brother Jay Hallam has been stationed at the DMZ zone on the North and South Korean border. He really likes it there because the women only cost twenty dollars a night.

Brother John Davidson was recently married. Congratulations, John.

Brother Ron Stetler is getting married on 28 October 1989. Hopefully, Stet won't mind an impromptu Bachelor Party on Homecoming weekend.

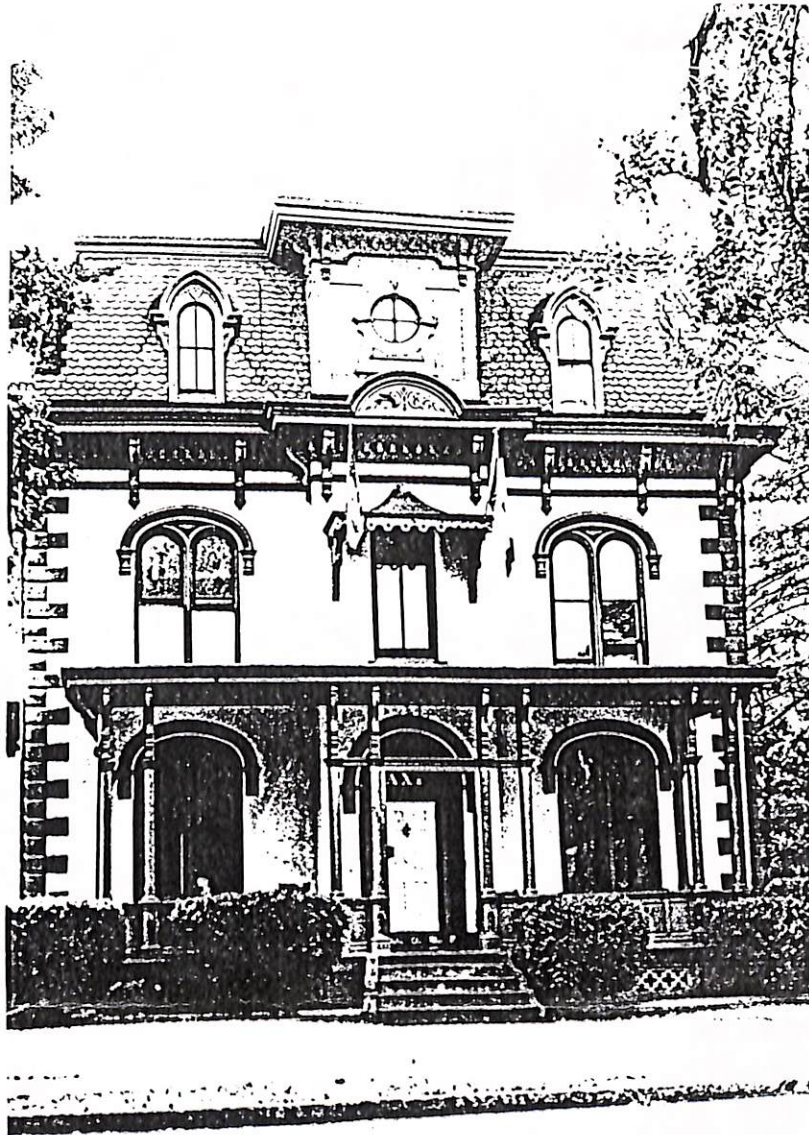
*Please send any announcements you'd like to publish.*

## Alumni News

There will be a meeting for the Building Corp. Association on Sunday, 22 October 1989 at the House. Anyone who wishes to attend is welcome. Also, Brother Kevin Campbell is hoping to start a Graduate Chapter. This subject will also be covered during Homecoming weekend. Please notify us if you, or anyone you know, has a change of address.



# ALPHA CHI RHO



Phi Mu Chi Chapter

# WELCOME TO LOCK HAVEN

The first year at any university is a lot of fun and very challenging. You'll learn more than you could ever imagine, and meet many new people. It is a time of major transition. You are independent in a larger world where all the decisions are yours to make...courses, studies, and friends. At Alpha Chi Rho, we understand this because we have experienced it. Fortunately, we believe we made the right decisions guided and strongly assisted by our participation in the fraternity. We invite you to discover our fraternity with its traditions, its reputation, and its wide variety of opportunities. We think you will find we have a lot to offer.





## WHY JOIN A FRATERNITY?

As a senior in high school, you were faced with many tough and serious decisions. Now, as a college freshman, you are starting another four year cycle that will have a great effect on you. During your first year at LHU, you will once again have to make choices that will affect you both here and after graduation. You are faced with choices about major, classes, and activities. We would like to take some time to explain and help you decide just one of those questions. "Should I join a fraternity or remain an independent?"

The average student usually enters college and associates the word fraternity with images of "Animal House". After a week or so of meeting different brothers at the different houses, opinions are modified and now a fraternity is seen as a place where you can party, dance, meet people, and receive help in school. While these are nice benefits, the Greek System offers much more than this. It offers brotherhood.

The word brotherhood is not taken lightly by the Brothers of Alpha Chi Rho. We do not look upon our fraternity as merely a bunch of "thugs" looking for excitement. Rather, we see ourselves as a close unit of brothers - a family. As in a family, a fraternity demands such qualities as tolerance, responsibility, understanding, and trust. In other words, joining a fraternity is a learning and growing experience. This experience will be helpful later in life when it is necessary to deal with people and assume responsibilities.

We here at Alpha Chi Rho believe very strongly in the Greek System and urge you to take a serious look at it. We invite you down to our house at any time, whether it is to have fun, get help, ask questions about the Greek System, or just talk to the brothers.

Good luck at LHU  
and in your decisions.

**The Brothers of Alpha Chi Rho Fraternity  
Phi Mu Chi Chapter**

# Why Alpha Chi Rho?

Fraternity life just isn't what it's sometimes portrayed to be. A sound fraternity stands for ideas that will be important today, tomorrow, and forever. First is scholarship. You are here to get the best education you can. Statistics prove that fraternity members consistently achieve higher academic results than non-affiliated men. As a Crow brother, high academic achievement is strongly encouraged and every brother is available to help however they can.

Service is our second dedication. At Alpha Chi Rho, we constantly work on having a positive impact on our community. Our service programs have included help for the homeless, sponsorship of needy children, fundraising for the American Lung Association, the Special Olympics, and our best program was the "Ride for Elicia" in 1987, where we raised \$6000 for a handicapped child in need of a machine to help her communicate.

As a member of Alpha Chi Rho, you can't help but become involved in the many social, athletic, and service activities occurring year round. This involvement exposes each of us to leadership. We do not simply watch; we participate. Our skills are sharpened in ways we would never otherwise experience, preparing us for positions of responsibility in our respective careers.



# AXP

The National Fraternity of Alpha Chi Rho was founded in 1895, with its Lock Haven Chapter in 1983. Although we are a national fraternity, our house at Lock Haven is small enough to ensure the opportunity to build a close relationship with every brother. AXP has many advantages on campus. One is our central location on West Main Street.

Another advantage is that we are one of the few fraternities on campus that own their own house and property. This allows us a degree of autonomy from the University that few others enjoy.

A third advantage is our great diversity. "Crow" brothers come from all areas of the country, have many different backgrounds and choose a variety of fields to study while here at LHU. This enables us to truly augment our learning experience during our undergraduate years.



# AXP . . .

stands for much more than the incredibly good times we all share. All Alpha Chi Rho Brothers share the common bond of the principals and ideals of our fraternity. These values are embodied in a set of landmarks that serve as the foundation for our behavior...in college, and beyond. These landmarks, four in number, are as follows:

Membership from among those who are prepared to realize in word and deed the brotherhood of all men.

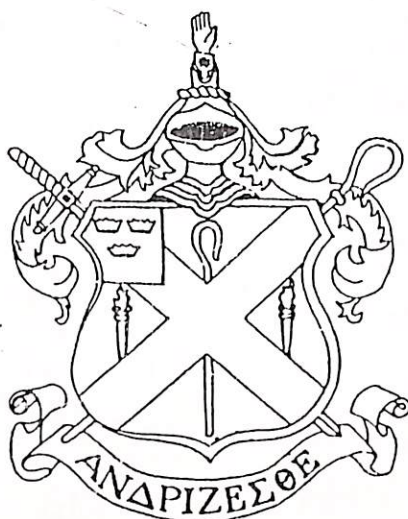
The insistence on a high and clean moral standards.

The paramount duty of brotherly love among members.

Judgement not by externals, but by intrinsic worth. No one is denied membership in Alpha Chi Rho because of race, creed, or nationality.

# THE FRATERNITY OF ALPHA CHI RHO

1895

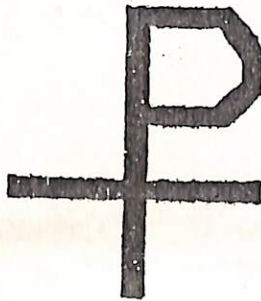


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## AXP

**"95 Years of Excellence"**

ALPHA CHI RHO FRATERNITY  
Phi Mu Chi Chapter  
Lock Haven University  
220 West Main Street  
Lock Haven, Pennsylvania 17745  
(717) 748-9441  
(717) 748-2147

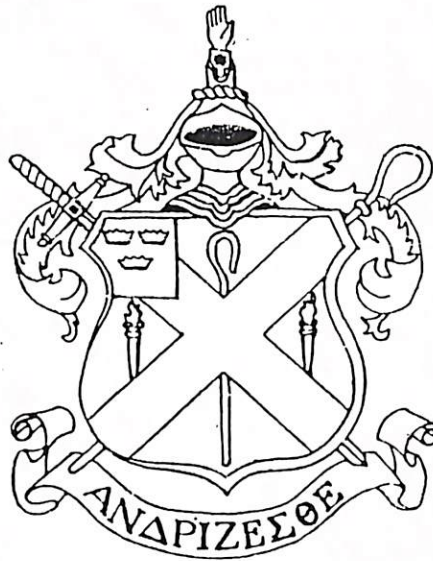




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# THE FRATERNITY OF ALPHA CHI RHO

1895



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# AXP

## "95 Years of Excellence"

WHAT: OPEN SMOKER

WHEN: THURSDAY FEBRUARY 1<sup>ST</sup>

WHERE: AXP HOUSE 220 W. MAIN ST.

WHEN: 8pm

"ALL MALES WELCOME"  
Come and meet the "Crows"



# Alpha Chi Rho Alumni Newsletter

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March 1990

## Alumni Weekend

The weekend of April 27-29 has been specially set aside for the alumni of Phi Mu Chi. On Friday evening, the Spring Formal will be held at the Quality Inn in Williamsport, Pa. at 7p.m. It will be a buffet style dinner followed by dancing and drinking. An awards presentation will precede dinner. The Quality Inn is located 1.5 miles south of Williamsport on U.S. 15. The address is 234 Route 15. For those who get lost, the telephone number is (717)-323-9801.

The price of a meal will be \$10 per person, with a couple's special of \$20. If you wish to spend the evening, rooms are \$40 per couple for two couples per room. Reservations must be made by Friday, April 13. Make checks payable to Alpha Chi Rho. Send them to the House c/o Tony Ruela. However, expect a nominal assessment for alcohol, as we are attempting to provide an open bar.

On Saturday at 3 p.m., an Alumni meeting will be held in the main living room. Topics to be covered are an update on the Graduate Chapter and a Question/Answer session with the Undergraduate Executive Board. A cookout will follow the meeting. For Saturday evening, the social committee is planning a mixer with Delta Zeta from Shippensburg University. The scouting report from Opie's brother looks promising.

Sunday is set aside for recuperation. We hope attendance is strong and that you bring plenty of questions, thoughts, and comments. Input from alumni is wanted and needed.

## House News

A dehumidifier has been purchased to eliminate moisture in the basement. This will aid in the preservation of the dry wall ceiling which was added last September.

The outside cellar door needs to be replaced. It does not shut properly or have a locking mechanism which allows for oil-eating drafts and intruders. However, the cost to replace the door is currently out of our price range.

## Announcements

Brothers Christian "11 semesters" Holland and Ken Nickels graduated in December. The Brothers wish them luck in their future endeavors and congratulate them in becoming the newest alumni of Phi Mu Chi.

Brother Mike Adornetto is currently taking graduate courses at the University of Pittsburgh.

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We want to hear from you. Please update us on your current address and job status or just drop a line to say hello. Please write c/o:

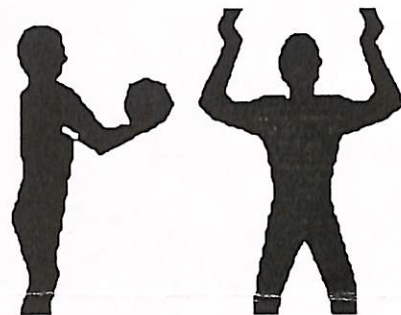
Chapter Correspondent  
AXP-Phi Mu Chi  
220 W. Main St.  
Lock Haven, PA 17745

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Go Crow!

AXP

95 Years of Excellence  
1895-1990



## Crow Bowl

The 1990 Crow Bowl Basketball Tournament will be held at the Omicron Phi Chapter (Utica College) on April 7, 1990.

In addition to the tournament, Brothers and Postulants may watch a Utica College baseball doubleheader, a Utica College Lacrosse match, or sit on the campus lawn and listen to the Washington based band, A Day Away. The band will also play in the campus nightclub Saturday evening from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.

A \$10 per player registration fee will include all meals, activities, and a Crow Bowl t-shirt. Make your reservations now for the best basketball competition of the year.

## Two New Chapters To Be Instituted

The National Council has announced that two colonies will receive their Charters in March. The Northwood Institute Colony will be instituted as the Phi Kappa Lambda Chapter on the 24th. Northwood is located in Midland Michigan. Thiel College, located in Greenville, Pa., will be restored as the Theta Phi Chapter on March 25th.



# Alpha Chi Rho Alumni Newsletter

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October 1990

## Homecoming

Just when you thought it was safe...it's here again! Homecoming 1990!! As you may already have been informed by the University, LHU will be holding Homecoming activities on the weekend of October 18, 19, and 20. This year the Bald Eagle Football Team will battle a competitive team from West Chester University. Kick-off time is set for 2:00pm on Saturday afternoon. If that doesn't interest you there is still a variety of other sports and activities to check into including a Cross Country meet, Soccer and Field Hockey games, and an Alumni picnic lunch at the soccer field at 12:00 Noon.

As the University prepares for it's homecoming activities, we also find ourselves doing the same for our own Alumni, you!! This year's plans will follow a similar format as last year's. On Friday evening, there will be a social gathering for all Alumni, their guests, and Undergraduate Brothers at the House. Refreshments will be available and music will be provided by a D.J. from 9:00pm until ???. Saturday's activities will begin at 12:00 Noon as we present our float at the Homecoming Parade. We will also be serving lunch at the House at this time so once the parade is over you may stop down and grab something to eat before the football game. Dinner will be ready at 6:00pm with our Annual Awards Presentation to follow at 8:00pm. The evening will culminate in a Heaven & Hell party to begin around 9:30pm. Casual dress is recommended. There will be plenty of good food, drink, and fun for everyone. We are asking for a \$10 fee for those wishing to attend this year's Home-

coming activities. This is to insure that we will continue to provide our Alumni with the best reception we can. The Chapter is looking forward to a great Alumni turnout this year. If you are interested, please return the enclosed Alumni Information Form to us as soon as possible. Even if you don't wish to attend, please return the Form with your current address and information about yourself. For privacy sake, here is a list of local Hotels and Motels:

### LOCK HAVEN

Clintonian	717-748-8057
Days Inn	717-748-3297
Fallon Queen	717-748-7477
Keystone	717-748-8017
Lock Haven Motel	717-726-4181
Mohawk	717-748-4003
Rocky Point	717-748-1818

### WILLIAMSPORT

EconoLodge	717-326-1501
Holiday Inn	717-326-1981

### LAMAR

Holiday Inn	717-726-4901
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## Alumni Meeting

Brother Kevin Campbell has scheduled a meeting for the Phi Mu Chi Building Corp. Association to be held on Saturday October 20, 1990 at 11:00am. Members of the Building Corp. Association and all available Alumni are being asked to attend this meeting at the House.

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## House News

The Fall 1990 semester has not seen many substantial changes thus far. The house finds itself with the largest number of Brothers living in it since it was first obtained by the Chapter in 1988. Occupation of the house stands at 19 Brothers with quite a few remaining Brothers anxious to take up residence next semester.

House improvements and maintenance continue to be a slow and difficult process for us. There are a number of projects that need to be done but the funds to carry them out are still non-existent. These include the installation of rear cellar doors, emergency lighting, storm windows, a new roof, as well as repairs to the rear porch. Fundraising will again be an important area for us to stress this semester to help contribute to these needs.

## Shippensburg Receives Colony

Alpha Chi Rho may soon have another place to call home thanks to the efforts of the Brothers of Phi Mu Chi. The National Council of Alpha Chi Rho has made Shippensburg University the most recent school to receive Colony status at the end of last semester. Headed by Mark (Opie) Greene's twin brother, Rob, there are currently 37 Brothers actively involved in the process of becoming a full-fledged Chapter. Last semester we were fortunate to send quite a few Brothers to mix with and support our new Colony and attend their colonization ceremony.



## Announcements

Brother Mark Sarnowski has moved on to continue his education at Penn State University and is currently living in the new Phi Lambda house.

Brother G. Scott Yaunches is now celebrating his graduation from LHU last May by pursuing studies in the Soviet Union. If the Berlin Wall falling while he was in Germany is an indicator, the USSR had better get ready.

Brother Jay Hallam is still stationed in Korea where he is keeping busy in the field. The Freshman women are here, Jay, where are you??

Brother Joe Powell is now a Seaman in the Coast Guard and works on a MotorLife Boat out of Winchester Bay, Oregon. He was also married this past January.

Brother Mike Brennan is stationed in California at Camp Pendleton where he is flying helicopters for the United States Marine Corps.

Brother German Delacruz is currently teaching Elementary school in Maryland.

Brother Armondo Caballero is currently living back in Florida where he is said to be working on his tan. The Brothers hope to hear from him soon.

On a more serious note, Brother Christian Holland has recently informed us that he was found to have a tumor in his brain which appears to be increasing in size at this time. He will soon be undergoing tests to discover more about it and will keep us up to date on any changes. Please keep him in your prayers as we are.

## Crow Bowl East

The 1990 Crow Bowl East Football Tournament will once again be held by the Brothers of the Epsilon Phi Chapter at Temple University. Competition is scheduled for Saturday October 13, 1990. This year, as in recent years, the National Council has insisted that the activities remain "dry". There are still many things to do there and everyone who has gone has never been disappointed. In the past, Phi Mu Chi has fielded highly competitive teams and this year appears to be no exception. With our experienced brothers and 10 talented Postulants this semester, we have a good chance at taking home another championship. Anyone interested in attending to lend support or just say hi can contact us at the House or you can meet us there! As of now, no plans have been made to camp out on the astroturf fields like last year but bring a sleeping bag just in case.

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There are now 3 separate phone lines in the house, one on each floor. If you have any questions or need to contact us for any reason, please give us a call at any of these numbers. Try calling in the order they are listed below and identify yourself as a Phi Mu Chi Alumni. We would love to here from you.

FIRST FLOOR 717-748-4878  
SECOND FLOOR 717-748-5237  
THIRD FLOOR 717-748-5054

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# Alumni Information Form

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Current Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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Current Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Check all that apply...

\_\_\_\_\_ I will be in Lock Haven for Homecoming and  
will be attending Fraternity activities. (\$10 Check is attached)

\_\_\_\_\_ I will be bringing guests. If so, How many? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ I will be in Lock Haven for Homecoming but  
will be unable to attend Fraternity activities.

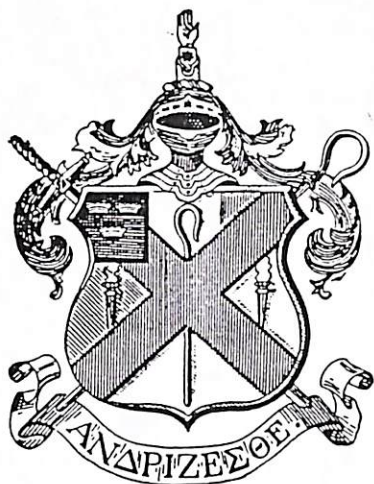
\_\_\_\_\_ I will be unable to attend any Homecoming  
activities this year.

\_\_\_\_\_ I wish to make a donation to the Chapter.

**Note :** Please make checks payable to Alpha Chi Rho.

Please inform us on your current status and include any comments you may have:

If you know the whereabouts or current status of other Alumni please note them below:



# *The Crow*

Alpha Chi Rho  
220 W. Main St.  
Lock Haven, PA 17745

## NEW & EXCITING THINGS FOR PHI MU CHI

We have five new additions to Phi Mu Chi this year. We have put a lot of work into the house; a new roof, a new sound and light system in the basement, 9 postulants went through this semester, two brothers lavaliered their girlfriends, and we took a sweetheart, Sarah Langowski.

## OUR PHONE NUMBERS ARE:

HOUSE #- 748-8291  
1st floor- 748-4878  
2nd floor- 748-5237  
3rd floor- 748-5054

Give us a call we would like to hear from YOU!

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## THREE BROTHERS GRADUATE THIS SPRING

TONY SNYDER- He has been accepted to be a national consultant for AXP.

DAVE FORD- He will be student teaching

BRYAN BLACKBURN- He is undecided in what he will be doing.

CHAD BLOSE will be getting married in May to Tammy Wooten.

We are upgrading the old library and making it the alumni room. It will provide a place for alumni to stay while they visit us.

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**May**

**ALPHA CHI RHO**

**1992**



GREEK WEEK wasn't a dissapointment even though we came in fourth place. It was the first time in seven years that Lambda Chi Alpha was defeated. AXP made sure they would lose ~~by~~ beating them in the tug-of-war in the first round.

THE STANDING WERE:

1st place: Alpha Sigma Phi  
2nd place: Lambda Chi Alpha  
3rd place: Tau Kappa Epsilon  
4th place: AXP



In the past two years we have put an emphasis on Intramurals and it was a close race for first place in team standings.

THE STANDING FOR INTRAMURALS WERE:

1st place: Tau Kappa Epsilon  
2nd place: Lambda Chi Alphah  
3rd place: AXP

ALUMNI, WE WANT YOU!!!

We have finally figured out that we are missing a part of history in Phi Mu Chi and the missing piece is our alumni. We have made a decision that we are going to try to improve alumni relations. In the past we haven't done this very well and we need your insight on what you want from us and how we can get to know you better. I hope that this program will increase alumni interaction with Phi Mu Chi. Always remember that you are wanted at Phi Mu Chi and you will always have a place to stay when you come back to the Haven.

Todd Laird

# CROW

# Spirit

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS OR SUGGESTION FOR PHI MU CHI, GIVE US A CALL OR WRITE IN CARE OF TODD LAIRD. WE HOPE TO HEAR FROM YOU SOON.

## AXP HOMECOMING 1992

Dear alumni Brothers,

Greetings from the Haven! My name is Todd Bedard and I have been placed in charge of the AXP festivities on homecoming weekend. Since this school year includes our 10th anniversary we would like to make all the special events extra special. With this year's homecoming, the weekend is going to be a blast! Mark "Opie" Greene will be ending his reign as the Homecoming King. We congratulate Terry "Salty" Hogan as AXP's 1992 Homecoming King Candidate (and by the looks of the campaign, we may be looking at another "Year of the Crow"). The theme for this year's parade is fairytales; our float will depict scenes from Cinderella. This year's schedule looks like this:

October 8 - Semi-formal in the pub including the announcement of the 1992 King and Queen. Dancing and Hors d'oeuvres will be provided. There will be a party at the house if Salty wins.

October 9 - A TBA band will be playing at the bonfire at Jacks Stadium from 8pm-12am. Last year's band was great. At the house at approximately 10:30pm a 1 guest/date party will be held and tentatively catered by the Eagle Wing Snack Bar.

October 10 - The Homecoming parade will begin at 8:30am



The afternoon will consist of all the sports teams playing their respective games(schedules will be available at the house).

We will be going to the rugby field and playing football, softball, etc. and having a BBQ

The evening will be completing the festivities in true Grand Finale form: There will be a dance Roger's Gym from 10pm-2am. We will be having a 2 guest party at the house until wre kick.

...AND IF NONE OF THIS SEEMS LIKE REASON ENOUGH TO JOIN US FOR HIOMECOMING FESTIVITIES THEN MAYBE THE FACT THAT BOB DYLAN WILL BE APPEARING AT 8 PM IN THOMAS FIELDHOUSE. AS REMOTE AS IT MAY SOUND, RUMOR HAS THAT TOM PETTY AND ERIC CLAPTON MAY SHOW UP BECAUSE THIS IS 6 DAYS BEFORE THEIR SOLDOUT SHOW IN MADISON SQUARE GARDEN.

On behalf of the brothers at the Haven, I hope to see you at our Homecoming Festivities. If you are planning to attend please RSVP to myself at (717)748-8184 or Brian Ullom at (717)748-2791. Also if you need Bob Dylan tickets you may call the SCC business office at (717)893-2332.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Todd Bedard", written in a cursive, stylized script.

Todd Bedard

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Alpha Chi Rho

April  
1993

# Alumni Newsletter

## What's Happening at the Haven

The Fall semester saw the brotherhood initiate 5 new men. This brings our active brother count to 43. We also have 8 new postulants currently. Upon their successful completion of postulancy, Phi Mu Chi will have reached 166 brothers.

This semester has also brought much work and improvement to the chapter house by the undergraduate brothers. Projects included: 1.) Replacing the tile floor in the kitchen and the first floor bathroom, 2.) The sanding and revarnishing of the wood on the second and third floors, and 3.) Current work by the postulants during their weekly House Improvement Night. A special thank you is also extended to Brothers William Rineer and Glenn Martin who, along with their families, donated a new stove and microwave respectively.

This semester also saw the initiation of a new sweetheart, Maureen Barker. Her support of the fraternity has been greatly appreciated.

Brother Jim Callipare graduated finally in December. Good Luck!!

The Brotherhood participated in "Jump Rope for Heart" this February. This event, sponsored by the American Heart Association, is an annual fundraiser for the worthy organization. The brotherhood felt proud to raise \$250 for the cause.



## Graduation

We will be saying goodbye to some great brothers this spring. Commencement is set for May 8, 1993. Brothers graduating include:

Mark Greene  
John Wasserman  
Nick Lucania  
Glenn Martin  
Chris Borgese  
William Rineer  
Bill Wardle  
Todd Laird

GOOD LUCK GUYS!!

**ALPHA CHI RHO**



## Coming Events at Phi Mu Chi

Greek Week- The weather is getting warm after a long, cold winter and once again the Greek system is preparing for the annual challenge. Bagging rights are at stake, and AXP plans to top off a great tenth year by bringing home the gold!

We welcome and appreciate alumni support! The undergraduates would also like to extend an invitation for all alumni to attend the third annual All-Greek mixer. We look forward to this yearly event and the Greek brotherhood(and sisterhood) that it fosters. It all takes place April 13-19.

Senior send offs return again. They are scheduled for Thurs. April 29, 1993 with a social gathering following.

We are in the midst of planning a summer gathering at Dorney Park or similar location. More details will follow at a later date. We look forward to a great time for all.

## Alumni News

The 1993 Leadership/Scholarship Institute(L.S.I.) will be held August 13-15 in Pittsburgh, PA at the Hyatt Regency. We need at least two graduate brothers attending this convention along with the undergraduate delegates so that we can achieve Landmark Status again! If you would like to attend, RSVP to Phi Mu Chi at (717) 748-5054 for more information.

Phi Mu Chi would like to thank all the alumni that visited the Haven or attended the formal in Baltimore. It is really great having you keep in touch.

Congratulations to Tony Ruela on his wedding engagement.

Congratulations are also extended to Joe Powell, Mick Bodino and Lee Cunningham whose wives are expecting.

Many alumni however are MIA. We would encourage anyone who is still in touch with other alumni to urge them to send their current address. Further, if any alumni have events in their lives that they wish to share, please send them to us and we will print them. The address is:

Jeff Annaballi-Alumni Chairman  
220 W. Main St.  
Lock Haven, PA 17745

The phone numbers:

House:(717)748-1585  
first: 748-4623  
second: 748-5237  
third: 748-5054

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OUR PHONE NUMBERS ARE:

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First floor- 748- 2791  
Second floor- 748-5237  
Third floor- 748-5054

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Give us a call we would like  
to hear from you!!!

We would like to invite all of the alumni back  
for HOMECOMING. It is the weekend of October 10th.  
The parade will be held at 10:00 and the football  
game will be held at 2:00. We hope to see all of you  
back. If you haven't already made reservations, you  
won't be able to so bring along a blanket and a pillow  
we will find a place for you to stay. HOPE TO SEE  
YOU SOON!!!

We have 39 active brothers this semester the largest  
the fraternity has been in years. Last semester we  
achieved LANDMARK status. This was a major achievement  
for the chapter.

One of our brothers, Chad "lurch" Blose, married  
Tammy Wooten and they brought a baby boy, Nathan Chad  
Blose, into the world. CONGRATULATIONS!!!

Once again we have put a lot of work into the house  
building corp. has put a new back porch on and we have  
put a lot of work into our new library.

We donated \$100.00 to the American Red Cross  
for disaster relief for victims of  
Hurricane Andrew.

**ALPHA CHI RHO**



We are doing a fundraiser this semester which will bring in a large sum of money. We will be going to Dorney park and working for two weekends. Last year we went for one weekend and we made close to \$2,000 dollars. We plan to use the money to fix up the house give donations and save some for a rainy day.

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We would like to thank all the alumni for their visits this semester.

Frank Lacitello  
Tony Snyder  
Dave Mistretta  
Stan Kratzner  
Christian Holland  
Christopher Raup  
Dave Ford

Stan, Thanks for the donation

We would like to tell other alumni what you are up to so drop us a line and we will put your information in the monthly alumni newsletter. THANK YOU!!!

Our 10 year anniversary will be coming up in the spring We have some "LOST BROTHERS" we need to find if you have addresses or know where these brothers are PLEASE CONTACT US!!!

Mike Adornetto  
Ralph Ball  
John Scott Bidding  
Rusty Bottorf  
Kevin Campbell  
Dave Carey  
Lee Cunningham  
John Davidson  
Dave Deans  
Kirby Drumm  
Leonard Groft  
Joseph Krause Jr.  
Reed Mellinger  
Steve Turchetta

Eric Augustine  
Don Bidding  
Mick Bodino  
Mike Brennen  
Scott Campbell  
Jamie Chaban  
Jeff Damico  
Dan Davidson  
German Delacruz  
Gary Daily  
Joe Finlayson  
Robert Krotek  
Jeff Register  
William Wirtman

We would appreciate any help you could give us. THANK YOU,  
TODD LAIRD

# Crow News

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The Official Phi Mu Chi Alumni Newsletter

## Convention is a Success for ΦMX

The Phi Mu Chi Chapter held its own at the 92nd National Convention in Harrisburg, Pa. This years Convention was unique because of the chartering of our newest chapter at Bloomsburg University (OXΦ). At the Brothers Luncheon, Phi Mu Chi was presented with the Labrum Award for excellence in Postulant Education and were the receipient of their third consecutive Landmark Award to remain in the upper echelon of the Fraternity. Brother Matt Samay was the first brother from the Chapter to be elected to the National Council as an Alternate National Residence Councillor. Matt was also one of the summer interns at the National Headquarters this summer. At the Feast of the Fraternity, Brother and Advisor Jerry "Meat" Updegraff was a receipient of the Ziegler Award for his hard work as a Graduate Brother and Advisor. Mark it on your calenders now, next years National Convention will be on our centenial on June 1 -4 in Hartford, Ct. please plan to attend. It is expected to be the event of the year.

## Undergraduate NEWS

The Spring semester brought us nine new members into the bond. They are Brian May, Rich Romanik, Ryan Black, Clint Heimbach, Jeremy Barge, Gus Larrauri, Mike Leary, Greg Wertz, and Anthony Quarracino. The postulant program was operated very well by postulant educator Pat Goss '94. Thanks Pat. The nine new men hope to be one of the best classes of brothers that we ever had. They have an extraordinary sesnse of unity and a very good work ethic. Only time will tell how good they really are. Initiation is tentatively scheduled for September 11 at the house if any brothers would like to attend the ceremony.

## New Officers Elected

The new officers are led by President Kevin Quinter, Vice President John Pellock, Risk Manager Todd Breon, Treasurer Matt Samay, Secretary Jason Andrew, Corresponding Secretary Jeff Boardman, Member-at-Large Cory Casner, Ritual Officer Jason Reinhard, Chaplin Alan Desris, and Seargent at Arms Jason Strawser. These brothers will serve the chapter until next elections which will probably be in late November or early December.

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## Thirteen Brothers Leave the Haven

On May 14 we saw thirteen distinguished brothers walk the halls of Alpha Chi Rho for the last time as undergraduates as they finally graduated from the Haven. The graduating Seniors are: Chad Blose, Pat Goss, Jeremy Bolton, Stephen Kolakowski, Chris Hiryak, Kevin Felmlee, Dan Lightner, Frank Nicholoni, Scott "Ziggy" Reiff, Cameron Reider, Toby Parker (Yes he finally Graduated), Travis Sheetz, and Mr. Brian Ullom. The hard work, leadership, and dedication that these brothers showed through out their years will be extremely missed.

## Some Important Dates To Keep In Mind

This years Crow Bowl is slated for October 15 at Temple/Ambler. All those Alumni interested in playing with the undergraduates please call the house at (717) 748 - 1585.

This years Homecoming is scheduled for October 22. We hope to have a bigger turn out at this year than we did last year. Hope to see you ALL there.

## Congratulations

We would like to congratulate Brothers Jeff Huckle, Frank Nicolini, and Bill Wardle for their weddings this past summer. The brothers would also like to Congratulate Brother Tony Snyder for his engagement to Ms. Jen Kreider.

## New Phone Numbers at the AXP House

House - 748 - 1585

First Floor - 748 - 4623

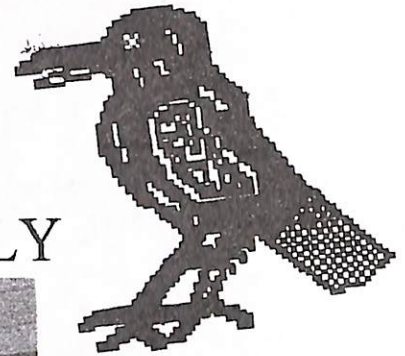
Second Floor - 748 - 5237

Third Floor - 748 - 5054

If any Alumni has any questions or would like to donate any money please call or write. We always like hearing from you.

# *THE CROW NEWS*

## ΦMX BRINGS HOME THE CURLY



Pictured From Left to Right Are Stephen Cunningham,  
Tony Snyder, and Matt Samay Displaying The "Curly"

By Stephen Cunningham  
& Matt Samay

The 91<sup>st</sup> National Convention was held at the Hyatt Hotel in Pittsburgh, Pa. Brothers Stephen Cunningham and Matt Samay had the honor of being the undergraduate delegates. Tony Snyder, current director of chapter services, was the graduate delegate. On the afternoon of the 14<sup>th</sup> of August, ΦMX was presented with a plaque stating that it was a LANDMARK chapter for the second year in a row. This is a great accomplishment. Later that evening, during the Feast of The Fraternity, the delegates and chapter were bestowed a much greater honor when past President Christopher Seidel ΦB '64, announced that ΦMX was the winner of the "CURLY WALDEN" cup for best all-around chapter. The trophy will be at the chapter house until the 92<sup>nd</sup> National Convention.



# GREEK WEEK CHAMPS 1993

By Stephen Cunningham  
& Matt Samay

The brothers ended the Spring Semester claiming it's first GREEK WEEK CHAMPIONSHIP. The CROWS took charge during the week by placing in every event that was held. Due to unpleasant weather, the track and field events were canceled. Since they were canceled, we could not increase our lead any bigger. The first place winnings were in: Floor Hockey, Volleyball, King Fisher, and Air Band. Second place finishes in: Basketball, Soccer, Water Polo, and Water Relay. Third place finishes in: King Fisher, Football, and Bellyflop contest. The CROWS beat Alpha Sigma Phi by 15 points and Lambda Chi by 30 points.

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## Homecoming 1993

By Stephen Cunningham  
& Matt Samay

Alumni, Homecoming is drawing closer every day. The date is October 23 so now is the time to start making plans to attend. There are many things to do during your stay here at Lock Haven.

- 1) See all your old friend that you haven't seen in years.
- 2) Reminisce about the GOOD O'L DAYS with other alumni and active brothers.
- 3) See the work being done on your House.
- 4) Pass on any ideas that you may have for the chapter, and
- 5) View the CURLY WALDEN CUP.

We all hope to see you here!!!

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## OTHER NEWS

The brotherhood would like to congratulate Nathen Chad Blose, son of brother Chad Blose, for celebrating his 1<sup>st</sup> birthday over the summer.

Congratulations to Mark Greene on his lavalier to Erin Grossman.

We would also like to congratulate Christian Holland on getting engaged and congratulations to Bill Wardle who also got engaged over the summer.

We would like to thank the following brothers for their visiting us so far this semester: Bryan Blackburn, Chris Borgese, Jim Callipare, Dave Ford, Mark Greene, Terry Hogan, Christian Holland, Todd Laird, Glenn Martin, William Rineer, Tony Snyder, and John Wasserman.

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# AXP THE CROW CALL AXP

Spring Edition 1995



## Six new brothers bound to the bond

The Phi Mu Chi Chapter is happy to announce that six postulants have now advanced to neophyte status as they finished postulating on Friday, the 21 of April.

They were as follows:

Todd Brunner  
Tom Grieco  
Tom Detwieller  
Brian Knott  
Eric Schaeffer  
Chris Grant

## Tough time for Crows

Alpha Chi Rho gave a valiant effort this year in Greek Week, but finished second to Lambda Chi Alpha.

A "fist-clinching" Greek Week would be decided on the last

day of the events.

The chapter was unsuccessful in the track events and slipped to second place overall. The competition was tough, but the times were great.

We managed to

pull off some successful wins, such as first in basketball, second in football and soccer, and third in hockey.

We plan on coming in strong

next year.

### Upcoming Events

Senior Send Offs - Sat.,  
May 6.

Graduation - Sat.,  
May 13

School ends - Wed.,  
May 10

School Resumes - Mon.,  
Aug. 22



## Back to Baltimore

## Thanks for all the support

We would like to thank all the alumni who came up to visit throughout the semester. You have given us a lot of good memories.

We would also like extend an invitation to those who didn't visit. "The door

is always open."

Kevin Felmee	John Wasserman
Kevin Quinter	Bill Rineer
Jim Meese	Tony Snyder
Mike Cassidy	Pat Goss
Mark Green	Chris Borgese
Corey Casner	Brian Ullom
Chris Raup	Dave Ford
Steve Cunningham	Stev Kolakowski
Frank Lacitello	Travis Sheetz

The annual Spring Formal was an outstanding success. It was once again held in the beautiful Treamount Hotel, in Baltimore.

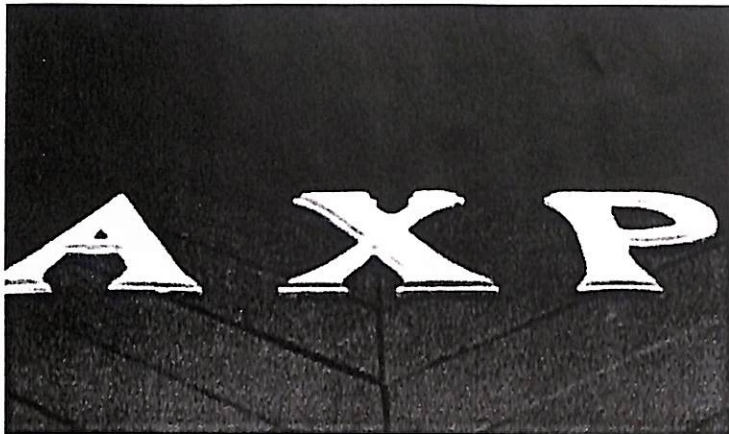
The brothers left on Friday and stayed until Sunday. It was an incredible event as usual and hopes of next years is still lingering.

E.J. Irvin, Social

Chairman, did an outstanding job at organizing and then lowering the cost of the formal.

There are still formal t-shirts available for purchase, for \$13. Contact E.J. at 748-2343





*A house to some, but a home to all*

## Into the "swing" of things

It's that time of the semester again. The time when people start thrashing and bodies start crashing.

It's time for fall intramural sports.

Alpha Chi Rho takes to the grid iron starting on September 13th. The team looks promising with experienced players, led by quarterback Sean "rag arm" Tierney. We'll try to take the championship home.

The thrill of the spike returns as outdoor volleyball starts on September 14th. We

have three teams for volleyball, and all look to benefit the overall scoring of intramurals.

The soccer team starts on September 14th. This team looks to pull off a title, with many returning players.

Other sports that will be coming soon are a softball tournament, indoor volleyball, 3 on 3 basketball, team badminton, and cross country running. The brother's of Alpha Chi Rho plan on doing it all, and we offer an invitation to come and support us.

## Back to the Books

Well, it's back to the drawing board for all of the returning brothers. We all plan to start of with a bang, hopefully being able to improve our overall GPA as a

brotherhood. We don't plan to neglect studies and partying, but we'll do our share of both. Brothers Matt Samay and Brain May led the pack with the high-

est GPA's in the fraternity.

**Keep in contact and don't loo touch**

**- Your Brothers in the Bon**

## Homecoming '95

You thought last year was fun, wait until this year.

We decided to keep the party at the home front (that means no bills from the Elks Club).

The festivities will start with a party Friday evening. Saturday will start of will the bells ringing, at 6:00 a.m., with your favorite "punch" and mine, **Hairy Buffalo**.

The afternoon will consist of a band, JR. and Sharon, and a cook out, at the house. The evening will be be

complete with a big bash at the house.

The brothers hope to see a lot of alumni on October 14th, so mark you calendars.

This will be one even you won't want to miss



*Homecoming, a fun time for everyone*



# The Crow Call

The Alpha Chi Rho

Newsletter

## Back to Normal

Last semester we ran into a little trouble when our pipes froze and burst resulting in a huge loss of time and money.

We are happy to inform you that everything is back to normal and we have thus acquired a new heating system and a clean

house. We are still making improvements and hope to be finished by homecoming. Any donations would be appreciated.

## More News

We have initiated three new brothers... Mike Piaskowski, Joe Knorr, and Ben Moll. They are as excited to meet with you and of course party, this homecoming. We have acquired three postulants this semester... Joe Dieble, John Pifer, and Brian Eoyer. They can't wait to see you guys (HA! HA! HA!). This low number of three postulants is similar to the low numbers across campus. The fall is always low, so we will just strive for the spring. Any suggestion for this years formal will be greatly appreciated and encouraged. You can make suggestions or tell George May. Any updated addresses or corrections, please tell or contact Bill Ashton.

## Homecoming → 96

This years homecoming festivities will begin Friday night with a brother's only date party. Saturday will of course entail everyone's favorite "Hairy Buffalo." This will be followed by a performance by *Lint*. This will be held in the back yard rather than away from our house. We wanted to keep everything at home this year. Saturday night will

be a standard (well, not really standard, but you understand) party starting at 9:00 a.m. Somewhere in the middle of our parties there will be a football game, but no one really cares about that. T-shirts will be available for the festivities. These were designed by our own brother Tom Grieco.

**Homecoming  
starts Friday,  
October 18th**





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# The Crow's Nest

March 1997

Volume 1, Issue 1

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Hello brothers;

We had our most recent Building Corp. meeting on February 22, 1998. It went very well. In attendance were Whitey, Strauser, Wass, Samay, Reed, Phonix, Waldo, Jay Andrews, Bromberg, and several undergrads. We reviewed the incident in December and the sanctions that went along with them. We discussed changing meeting times to increase attendance, and took nominations for the positions of President, Secretary, and Corresponding Secretary. At our next meeting we will take any last minute nominations and will also take nominations for the Fundraising position. We will also hold elections at the next meeting. The next meeting will be held on Saturday, April 25, 1998 at 2:00pm. This will precede the Fiftieth Anniversary Semi Formal to be held on Saturday night. The undergrads will be sending official invitations. Please make arrangements to be there. I assure you it will be a BLAST! We're hoping it turns out to be a spring homecoming. If you'd like more information and are planing to attend the next Building Corp. meeting or the Semi Formal, R.S.V.P. me at (717)560-7539 office/ (717)872-4139 home. Looking forward to hearing from all of you.



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**ALPHA CHI RHO PHI MU CHI**

**FIFTHTIETH ANNIVERSARY**

**SEMI FORMAL**

**IS COMING**

**APRIL 25, 1998**

**LEDS PARTY**

*Written by John Wasserman; President AXP Building Corp. Association*

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# *Crow Call-Fall 1997*

## **Greek Week Champs 1997**

Joe Deible and Mike Piaskowski topped off an exceptionally awesome Greek Week by eating our way to victory in the eating contest. We had an overall strong showing, taking several first and many second and third places. Fall is upon us and Homecoming '97 awaits. For all of you who don't know, it will be held on the first weekend of October. We are planning on having the date party Friday the 3<sup>rd</sup> with entertainment from a live band. On Saturday the 4<sup>th</sup> we will be having the band 5-More from Philadelphia outside in the backyard starting at 2 PM. All is going well this semester. We will be initiating six new brothers into the bond shortly. We are currently rushing our hearts out, still celebrating last year's Greek Week competition. With numbers down, each and every brother is doing an outstanding job taking on numerous responsibilities. We've done a lot to the house after reopening the third floor. We hope to see everyone showing up to tame the buffalo this semester and hopefully enjoy a good band. We also hope everyone will stop and greet the new pledges, as they will undoubtedly be excited to see all of you.

\*The building corps meeting will be held on Saturday October 4<sup>th</sup>.

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## LABARUM

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## ALUMNI NEWSLETTER

Volume 1, Issue 2 Jan 2003

## A word from the President...

Greetings Alumni,

Many things have happened since you received the last newsletter.. Between the donation drive at Wal-Mart and painting a house in Mill Hall, we raised more than \$700. Now we have sufficient funds to start our next project: A raffle with a DVD player as a grand prize.

Last semester, two mixers took place, with ZTA and Sig Kap. Both of them went off without a hitch, thankfully. There are no immediate plans for any mixers this semester until the rush program gets fully underway.

Additionally, The Phi Mu Chi Website is up! Visit it, sign your names, and give us any pertinent contact information, because the biggest social event this year is going to be the 20th anniversary celebration. If we work together with you, the Alumni, I think we can make this a truly unforgettable experience.

ANAPIZEΣΘΕ,  
President Jeremy Bradley

## 20 years Of Phi Mu Chi!

2003 marks the 20th Anniversary of Phi Mu Chi! Wouldn't you like to celebrate it in style? We certainly would. The Social Chair, Lamar Ballard, and the Corresponding Secretary, Steve McGuigan, want to work together with Alumni to try and get something impressive for this spring. Check the web site (page 2) and future letters for more news! Leave suggestions on the info portion of the website, or drop us a line at the Contact address to the right!

### New Budget passed

At the suggestion of our national consultant, Phi Mu Chi implemented our first fully operational budget in years, which required a dues increase to \$300 per brother. This will hopefully allow for more diverse and entertaining rush and social events, as well as hopefully paying towards our debt.

### 2003 Conclave news

The Alpha Chi Rho annual conclave was held the weekend of January 25th at the Wyndham Suites in Chesterbrook, PA. National asked two brothers per chapter to be present, so ΦMX sent President Jeremy Bradley and Correspondent Steve McGuigan. Check out the website for a full report on what took place at this worthwhile event..



#### CONTACT INFO

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21 Center Street  
Lock Haven, Pa  
17745  
(570) 748-6666  
Smcguiga@lhup.edu

### Another Buffalo, for the early birds

This is old news, but Homecoming 2002 was a success as usual. The time was 6 am and the buffalo was as hairy as ever. Special thanks go out to Alumni Chris Raup, Mike Piaskowski, and Kevin Reichard for making it out to the Haven. Trying to run a float in a parade at 10 am after such a long night is pretty tough, but we managed to pull it off somehow. The theme was fairytales, so we dressed President Jeremy Bradley up in lumberjack clothes and painted him Green. He didn't much look like Shrek, but we tried our best. We hope to see even more Alumni at next year's





## Committee reports

### Fundraising

The donation drive at Wal-mart was very successful, raising more than \$400.00 in three days. The brother turn out was excellent, and each brother took a fair turn standing out in the cold. The DVD Player raffle is pending the Small Games of Chance license that has to be issued from the Student Co-operative Counsel, but otherwise is ready to go. VP Nate McMichael got us involved with a person who works in the Alumni Affairs office. We put primer on 4 rooms in her house for \$250. Do you have a no-miss fundraising idea? Let us know at AXPHaven@hotmail.com.



Josh Miller, Fonz Buceta, and Steve McGuigan at the Fundraiser

*Each moment lived pushes open a greater, wider horizon, from which there is no escape, save living.*  
- Henry Miller

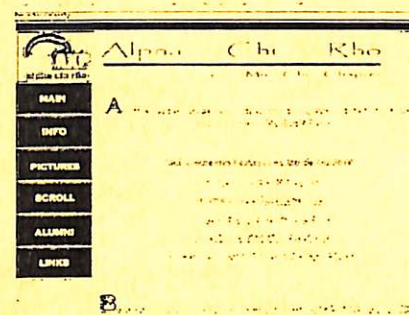
### Community Service

Fall 2002 IFC community service requirements were 3 projects per organization. Phi Mu Chi was proud to have been the only organization that performed more than the bare minimum, as we did 6 projects total over the semester, including collecting change for UNICEF, washing fire trucks, The Second Mile program, and a Haunted House in Avis that we helped set up and run on Oct. 26th. Add that to the Adopt-A-Highway service we did earlier in the semester, and we have performed twice as many service projects as any other Greek organization on campus. Our new Chair, for spring 2003 is Matt Lipka, who has a laundry list of impending projects and ideas. The first one will take place the first week in February, sorting clothing for the Salvation army. Email AXPHaven@hotmail.com with any community service ideas.



## In other news...

The Phi Mu Chi webpage is up! The address is <http://phimuchi.cjb.net>. The site is still under construction but has a functional bulletin board, scroll, and pictures of brothers. Coming soon will be links to other chapters and a page just for Alumni. Stay tuned.



### Rush

Rush Chair/Postulant Educator John Wendt did an amazing job with Rush this semester. Closed rush takes place on Tuesday, February 12th, and thanks to John's outstanding efforts, we expect 13 potential pledges to be present.

### Alumni Donation Awards

Phi (Award)  
\$0-\$100



Alex Geise  
Kori Gaynor

Mu (Framed Award)  
\$100-\$500




Chi (Paddle Award)  
\$500 and above



### Exec Board

PRESIDENT Jeremy Bradley  
VICE PRESIDENT Nate McMichael  
TREASURER Eric Booser  
SECRETARY Sean Kinney  
CORRESPONDENT Steve McGuigan  
RISK MANAGER Ibbby Chouhdry  
MEMBER AT LARGE Chris Sarao

The next issue of the Labarum will hopefully be out in under a month. Check the website for more frequent updates. 'Till then, be men.

 Corr. Secretary  
Steve McGuigan



# AXP – ΦMX

The Phi Mu Chi chapter of Alpha Chi Rho  
Presents:

## The 20th Anniversary Celebration!

**April 26, 2003**

**Location TBA**

**Alpha Chi Rho - Phi Mu Chi**

**C/O Alumni Affairs office**

**106 Akeley Hall**

**Lock Haven, PA 17745**



Phi Mu Chi 20th Anniversary Formal

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Pledge Class \_\_\_\_\_

Do you plan on attending the 20th anniversary? \_\_\_ (Yes) \_\_\_ (No)

Do you keep in contact with other alumni? \_\_\_ (Yes) \_\_\_ (No)

Comments:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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This is an interest survey. Fill out and return to above address  
or call 570-748-7556 and ask  
for Lamar.

We need to know if you want to  
Come so we can plan it as  
Accurately as possible!

Thanks!

Alpha Chi Rho- Phi Mu Chi



# The Labarum



## What you should know.

- Spring formal on April 24
- AXP-Phi Mu Chi won first in LHU homecoming parade.
- Phi Mu Chi Brothers attended National Convention at Purdue.
- Phi Mu Chi participated in Crow Bowl.



Brother Jeremy Bradley  
Works on the Homecoming  
Float

## ΦΜΧ Invites You to the Spring Formal April 24, 2004

It's the spring semester again. That means that we will be looking forward to our annual formal. April 24 looks like the big day!

This year, due to a lot of positive feedback from the Graduates that attended last year, we will again hold it at the Comfort Inn in Lamar, Pa.

If you are planning to attend this year, please RSVP. When you contact us, we'll let you know more as there are still a few details to work out. The cost of the formal will once again be \$50.



Brothers Tony Snyder (National Ritual Officer)  
and Chris Raup enjoyed themselves last year.

## What We've Been Up To...

Last semester was one of the most productive in recent Phi Mu Chi history. First, we now have a house that holds nine brothers. While it is only a rental and not owned by the Fraternity, it serves its purpose in getting us organized and allowing us to have a central meeting place.

Last semester has also brought us four new Brothers. These new additions bring our active Brother roll up to 22, more than it has been for a while. The coming semester looks even better with a lot of



men interested in joining Alpha Chi Rho.

The brotherhood is also continuing to do a variety of community service projects. We continued to do the traditional highway clean-up last semester. This section of Interstate 80 has been being cleaned by Crows for nearly two decades now!



## What We're Up To...

In September, we also did a beneficial project. We built a playground in the town neighboring Lock Haven—Beach Creek. The town asked for volunteers to help construct playground equipment and the Brothers of the Chapter agreed to help. We did not know what we were getting ourselves into!

We arrived at the work-site on a Saturday morning to find a ground auger and a bunch of marks spray painted on the ground. We left about eight to nine

hours later with a jungle gym, complete with slides and crawl-through tunnels, standing where the marks were.

Making up a vast majority of those who volunteered, the Crows left that day feeling a great sense of accomplishment!

### our Undergraduate Brothers are doing...

**Ibby Choudhry**— EMT, Volunteer fireman.

**Nate McMichael**— SCC Vice President

**Eric Booser**— SCC Executive Board (Food Service)

### Some Interesting things

## Chapter Finances

As many of you may know, the Chapter has accumulated some debt to National over the years. This was one of the factors that contributed to the loss of the chapter house in 2001. However, we have recovered from that loss and are now prepared to take care of our Chapter's debt. The Brothers are currently fundraising more and paying higher dues than they have in the past to try and get the Chapter out of its financial problems.

Your help would be very much appreciated. We would like to see this debt paid off within five years; we are not trying to do it all today.

Any donations that graduates choose to make can go straight to National. We will not use these monies for our own operating expenses.

We are setting a modest goal of \$2,000 this semester. If everyone pitches in a little, we should be able to reach this goal.

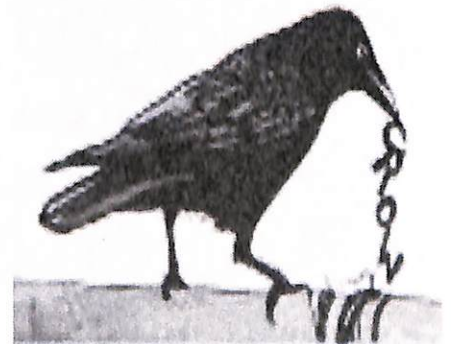
After this debt is paid off, National should again help the Chapter purchase a Chapter house. This means that all alumni will have a place that they can come back to and it will no longer be hit or miss whether or not we find a place big enough to use as a central meeting place.

To make contributions, please send checks, payable to Alpha Chi Rho, to:

**Tony Snyder**

143 Village Square Drive  
Marietville PA 17547

Tony is a Graduate Brother and will ensure all money is sent to the National Fraternity and not used for our Chapter's operating costs.





## AXP Takes First Place In Homecoming Parade

Last semester we entered the homecoming parade for the first time in years. We were sure glad that we did. We took first place, beating out floats from all of the other fraternities.

Here are a few of us before the Hawaiian themed parade posing with the Sigma Kappa girls.



## Phi Mu Chi Once Again Present At National Events

Over the past few years, the Chapter's attendance at national events was well under par. This, however, is changing.

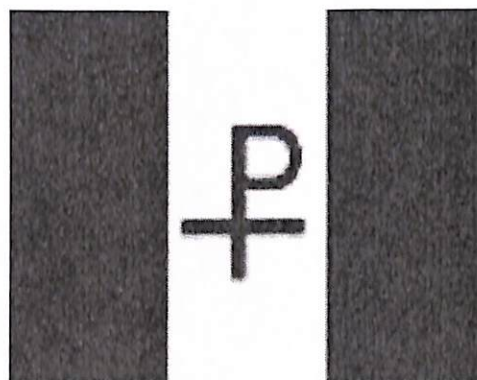
Last summer we sent Brothers on a road trip all the way out to West Lafayette, Indiana to attend the 97th National Convention at Purdue University.

Last Semester we sent a team to the

Crow Bowl at Stockton College in New Jersey.

This semester we sent Brothers to the National Conclave which was held at Plymouth Meeting, Pa.

We plan to attend national events regularly so that we can keep good relations with National and so that we know what's going on with them.



## Contact Us:

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Mail: Alpha Chi Rho (Attn. Ibbly Choudhry)

130 N. Fairview St. (Front)

Lock Haven, PA 17745

Call: (570) 441 5795





# Spring Formal RSVP Form

4-24-04

Comfort Inn, Lamar, Pa.

Mail To: Ibby Choudhry  
130 N. Jones St (Front)  
Lock Haven, PA 17745

Questions?

Email- axphaven@hotmail.com

Phone- (570) 441-5795

Please enclose a check for \$50 made payable to  
Alpha Chi Rho

Detach and mail, with check, to the above address.

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## 4-24-04 Formal RSVP Form

Name

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Number attending

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Graduation Year 

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## THE FRATERNITY OF ALPHA CHI RHO

### SAVE THE DATES!

*We are pleased to provide you with the dates of our 2004 special events!*

#### **Alpha Chi Rho Educational Foundation Annual Meeting**

Membership Meeting & Brotherhood Luncheon  
April 24, 2004 – Key Bridge Marriott, Arlington, VA  
\$25 per person

#### **109<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Founders Day Luncheon**

June 5, 2004 – New Jersey – Location TBD  
\$25 per person

#### **Alpha Chi Rho Fishing Trip**

Brothers/Friends; Father/Son Fluke Fishing  
June 13, 2004 - Old Spyre Marina in Morgan, NJ.  
Compliments of Alpha Chi Rho

#### **Alpha Chi Rho Day at the Ball Park**

Brothers and Families  
July 16, 2004 – Lakewood, NJ – Blue Claws  
Adults - \$25; Kids (under 16) compliments of Alpha Chi Rho!  
*Includes BBQ and game*

#### **Leadership Scholarship Institute**

Scholarship Awards Reception & Alumni Event  
August 7, 2004 – Sheraton Convention Center - Atlantic City, NJ  
\$50 per person – *Sponsorships available*

#### **8<sup>th</sup> Annual Sherriff Shootout Golf Classic**

Brothers and Friends  
September 20, 2004 – Location TBD  
\$600 per foursome – *Sponsorships available*

#### **Alpha Chi Rho Day at Fenway**

Brothers and Families  
September 26, 2004 – Fenway Park, Boston Red Sox  
\$50 per person – *includes BBQ and game*

#### **Alpha Chi Rho Murder Mystery**

Couples Costume Event  
October 30, 2004 – Location TBD

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*Additional 2004 Events planned in Philadelphia, DC, Chicago, Boston, and Pittsburgh*

## THE FRATERNITY OF ALPHA CHI RHO

### SAVE THE DATES!

*We are pleased to provide you with the dates of our 2004 special events!*

#### **Alpha Chi Rho Educational Foundation Annual Meeting**

Membership Meeting & Brotherhood Luncheon  
April 24, 2004 – Key Bridge Marriott, Arlington, VA  
\$25 per person

#### **109<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Founders Day Luncheon**

June 5, 2004 – New Jersey – Location TBD  
\$25 per person

#### **Alpha Chi Rho Fishing Trip**

Brothers/Friends; Father/Son Fluke Fishing  
June 13, 2004 - Old Spyre Marina in Morgan, NJ.  
Compliments of Alpha Chi Rho

#### **Alpha Chi Rho Day at the Ball Park**

Brothers and Families  
July 16, 2004 – Lakewood, NJ – Blue Claws  
Adults - \$25; Kids (under 16) compliments of Alpha Chi Rho!  
*Includes BBQ and game*

#### **Leadership Scholarship Institute**

Scholarship Awards Reception & Alumni Event  
August 7, 2004 – Sheraton Convention Center - Atlantic City, NJ  
\$50 per person – *Sponsorships available*

#### **8<sup>th</sup> Annual Sherriff Shootout Golf Classic**

Brothers and Friends  
September 20, 2004 – Location TBD  
\$600 per foursome – *Sponsorships available*

#### **Alpha Chi Rho Day at Fenway**

Brothers and Families  
September 26, 2004 – Fenway Park, Boston Red Sox  
\$50 per person – *includes BBQ and game*

#### **Alpha Chi Rho Murder Mystery**

Couples Costume Event  
October 30, 2004 – Location TBD

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## Alpha Chi Rho- Phi Mu Chi

## AXP Invites You to Come Visit for Homecoming

Homecoming is the most proper time for alumni to come visit their fraternity they have had made so many incredible memories at. The weekend of October 15th is this years date for homecoming. We plan to win best homecoming float for a second year in a row. There is nothing that can make homecoming more special than to share it and make so many new memories with the graduates of the Phi Mu Chi chapter of Alpha Chi Rho. Our traditional "Hairy Buffalo" will be another attraction you wont want to miss. We hope you can take time out of your busy schedules to come visit and enjoy the weekend of homecoming with us.



## AXP Brings in Largest Pledge Class in Years.



*Some brothers of Alpha Chi Rho take part in a football rush to help attract quality*

As many of you may know, our Phi Mu Chi Chapter of Alpha Chi Rho was on rush probation last semester. Because of this, our numbers are lower than we would like. Although we were not able to hold rush last semester, this fall semester brings in an astounding amount of interested quality men. It is seeming quite pleasant to know our program can easily be back up to above 20 brothers by the end of this semester. Many of the brothers are excited to begin the postulant period and add the quality men that deserve to be part of this fraternity. Hopefully you will all get an opportunity to meet them at homecoming!



## What We Have Been Up To...

This year many of the brothers are excited to get our names out there with a mass amount of community service and fundraising events. Already we have a weekly agreement with the church where we will take part in cleaning every Sunday as well as help out during lent with their fish fry. A couple of highway clean ups have been scheduled and we have many new interesting ideas to help out the community. It is still early in the semester but the brothers are eager to get out into the community and help with as much service as possible.



## Taking a Step Forward

Currently we hold a house which serves the purpose for the time being. As of right now we have a bigger plan in mind. It has come to our attention that we need to take a step forward and work on getting a house we can call our own. In order to reach this goal we have taken many donations from past graduates and put much money into forming a housing corporation. Alumni Brother Chris Raup is interested in taking part and helping us form this corporation. Hopefully with this corporation we will be able to save enough money to get a house we can call our own and start new amazing memories at. Our goal may take some time to reach but hopefully with donations we will be able to reach our target.



*Many brothers from many generations join together to enjoy a special time*



## The brothers of $\Phi$ MX want to inform you of our Spring Formal

Last Year was a great year for the Phi Mu Chi chapter of Alpha Chi Rho and our Spring formal was a pleasant way to end it. Many past graduates took time out of their busy schedule to come support us. We hope this year we get the same, if not more, amount of brothers coming back to share this enjoyable time with us. The exact date is not certain yet but another letter will be sent out informing you of when our spring formal will take place. Were sure that with your participation this years formal will hold more fun than ever before. We hope to see you all there.



*A bunch of brothers prior to the formal  
last year.*



*A few of the brothers enjoying their night  
together.*

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## Notes From National

Dear Brother,

Undergraduates from your Chapter have taken advantage of a program to keep you informed. The Fraternity facilitates Chapter mailings to the Graduate Brothers. We are happy to bring you Chapter news.

We need your gift of Graduate Dues. This newsletter is just one of the ways we can help keep you connected to your Chapter. We hope it provides you the opportunity to relive some of your Alpha Chi Rho days.

You can find out more about your Fraternity by visiting our website at [www.alphachirho.org](http://www.alphachirho.org). Help me thank the Foundation for their loyal support of our Fraternity by contributing to the 2004 Graduate Dues campaign.

In Word and Deed,



D. Matthew Jenkins  
Director of Development

P.S. Please send a message and your Graduate dues today.

(732) 988-0588, Fax (732) 988-5357

[foundation@alphachirho.org](mailto:foundation@alphachirho.org)

## Alpha Chi Rho Educational Foundation

*2004 Graduate Dues*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: H \_\_\_\_\_ B \_\_\_\_\_

Email: H \_\_\_\_\_ B \_\_\_\_\_

Chapter: \_\_\_\_\_ Yr. \_\_\_\_\_

☐ My check is enclosed – *payable to Alpha Chi Rho Educational Foundation*

☐ Please charge my Visa or Master Card:

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Exp: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

☐ \$2,500 Principle Member

☐ \$1,000 Leadership Member

☐ \$ **500 Sponsoring Member**

☐ \$ 250 Sustaining Member

☐ \$ 150 Contributing Member

☐ \$ 75 Graduate Member

☐ \$ \_\_\_\_ Other Investment

Graduate Dues qualify as a charitable donation for federal income taxes. The Foundation is a 501( c ) 3 organization.

Alpha Chi Rho Educational Foundation, Inc

109 Oxford Way

Neptune, NJ 07753



Alpha Chi Rho—Phi Mu Chi

# The Labarum



## Homecoming is here again...

### Special points of interest:

- Homecoming
- New Pledge Class
- Formal
- What we have been up to
- Miscellaneous Issues

As the summer sun slowly fades away, the leaves begin to change color, and the days become shorter and shorter, it can only mean that fall is rapidly approaching and school is in full effect. Fall, however, also signifies a time of football, parades, floats, and fun. In other words, fall means homecoming; perhaps the largest event any college undergoes during the first semester of schooling. Homecoming is also the perfect time for past alumni to come visit their fraternity for a chance to create even more memories to add on to their already phenomenal list of great times and better moments spent with their brotherhood. This year,

homecoming week starts September 26th and ends with the football game against Mansfield on October 1st. In the past, we have had successful turnouts in regards to alumni support and attendance throughout the homecoming week. Due to inclement weather last year, we were unable to present our float which technically still makes us defending champions of the best float competition and have all intentions to repeat this feat this year with the construction of our new float already in progress. As always our traditional "Hairy Buffalo" will be in attendance and should not be missed! So please, if you find time during your busy



schedules, come join the crows of the phi mu chi chapter for a week of fun and excitement and a chance to create even more unforgettable memories to last a lifetime.

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## One of the Largest Pledge Classes in ΦMX history!

Before 2005, the number of active brothers was somewhere below twenty. Due to the rush probation, we were unable to hold rushes and attract quality men and stayed at the number for a bit of time. The brothers of the phi mu chi chapter are now proud to announce that the number of active brothers has now reached an outstanding count of

thirty-three. The spring postulant period brought an outstanding number of men who truly proved that they had the attitude, motivation, and dedication to genuinely "Be Men." Thanks to this group of men, we are now a viable force on campus, one cannot even walk ten feet now without seeing a crow brother, it is quite amazing. The

upcoming pledge class also promises to increase our numbers and there really is no feasible end in sight for our "army" of crows. Hopefully you will get to meet the new brothers and potentials this homecoming!





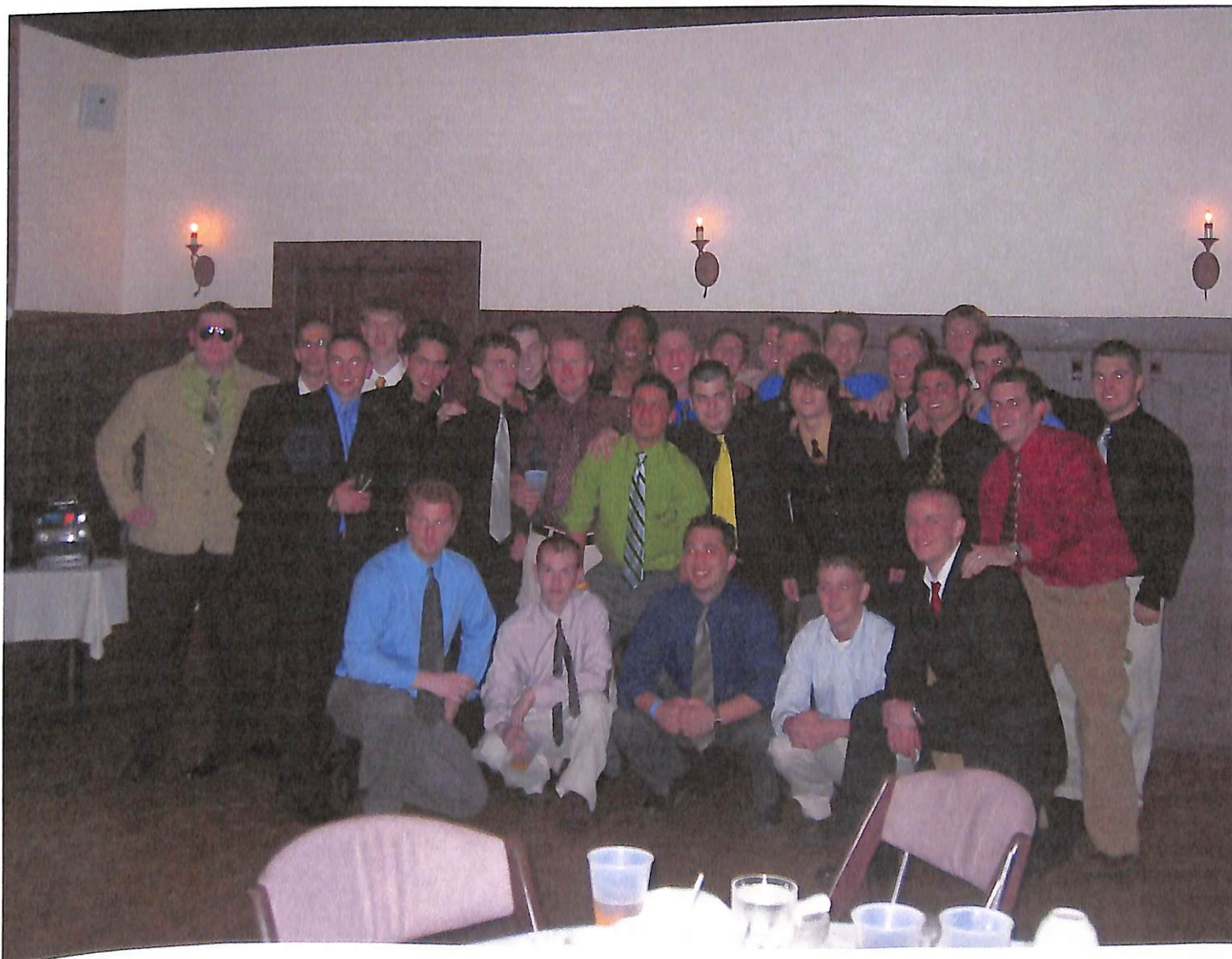
Below: The brothers of Phi Mu Chi enjoying a great night at the Spring Formal.

## Another Successful Formal

Spring of 2005 brought upon a truly fantastic night of fun and excitement. It was the night of Alpha Chi Rho—Phi Mu Chi's annual spring formal and we had a great turnout. The guys looked like true gentlemen and the women were stunning. The formal took place at the Lock Haven Country club, a last minute decision by the social committee due to time constraints but it was anything but disappointing. The food was excel-

lent, the music was top notch, and the fun level was definitely at an all time high. It was also nice to see alumni brothers Chris Sarao and Ibraheem Choudry stop by to join us for this night of pure excitement. There has been talks about having both a winter and spring formal this year, but there has been no final judgment passed on this situation yet, more will be covered in the winter quarterly. The spring formal, however will be held as

always and the spring quarterly will have the exact date as to when this is. All past alumni is encouraged to join the crows for a great night and an opportunity to, yet again, make more memories that will last a lifetime.





## What we've been up to...

In the past month, the Phi Mu Chi chapter has accomplished immense amounts of community service and fundraising and does not show signs of stopping any time soon! Dating back to the first weekend students started to move into the dormitories, we have already been hard at work fundraising and servicing the community. The first weekend up here, we participated in a program called movers and shakers, a community service designed to help freshmen and

returning students get situated in their dorms by helping them with their heavy items and belongings, and also directing them around campus, making sure they didn't get lost. Shortly after, we participated in an art walk, in which all donations benefited the hurricane victims in New Orleans after that tragic incident. Also, just recently we participated in a can drive, which also benefited the victims of hurricane Katrina by standing on certain areas of campus with

signs and jars for those willing to help the cause. We currently have a deal with Domino's pizza parlor that will fundraise money to benefit the brotherhood immensely. We also have many community services lined up and intend to shatter the minimum requirement and really let the community know where Alpha Chi Rho's heart truly lies.



## Making a difference...

Recently, it has come to the attention of the brotherhood of the Phi Mu Chi chapter of Alpha Chi Rho that we are in somewhat of a debt with our national. Already, there has been immense progress in putting a huge dent into this debt. At this rate, it is to be believed that this problem will soon become miniscule because of how much effort the

brothers are truly putting forth into making a difference. We already have raised a good amount of money to help the effort and have instilled certain levels of financial punishment for those who neglect their dues and do not attend meetings.

We hold this problem as top priority because we need all the alumni support we can get be-

cause without alumni, what history does a fraternity value? And without history, there really is no sense to have a brotherhood based on tradition is there? So therefore we are doing all we possibly can to get this problem settled so we can rejoice with our past alumni brothers once again and continue to make memories.

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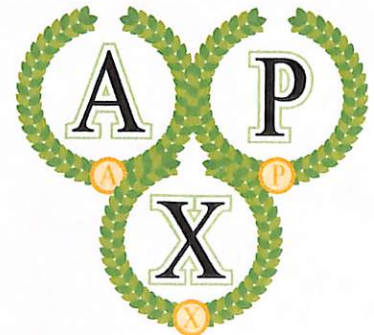
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## Greek Week

Greek Week at Lock Haven University this year was...different. There were only two other fraternities to compete with but it still provided for a rather fun week. We basically dominated in every single event except for swimming and air

band. With victory in sight, the only event left was football and we pretty much knew we had the trophy right there and then. Then due to weather and a few technical difficulties, the judgment was passed down finally to cancel Greek week for the 2005

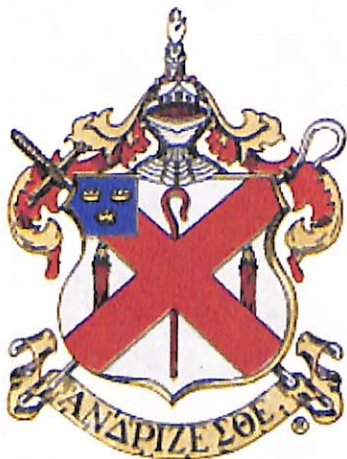
year. Technically, we could have easily had the trophy in our grasps but because of elements beyond our control, we are just forced to do even better this upcoming Greek Week.



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## Final Words



The Phi Mu Chi chapter of Alpha Chi Rho is on a mission to be a dominant chapter and a role model for other chapters to follow. We intend to be viewed as a respectable, honest, and hard working chapter that contributes to making the national name of Alpha Chi Rho publicly viewed as a group based on integrity and loyalty.





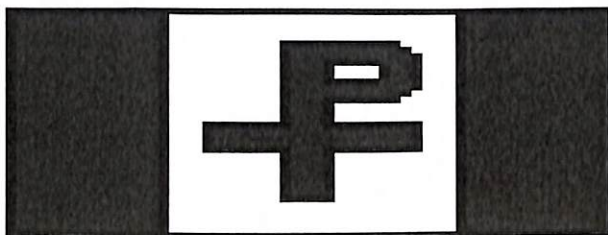
# Spring 2008

## Alpha Chi Rho

### Welcome Back

On behalf of the brothers of the Phi Mu Chi chapter of Alpha Chi Rho here at Lock Haven University of Pennsylvania, we would like to extend our gratitude that everyone had a safe and successful holiday season. So far, we feel that we are making a truly valiant effort in accomplishing our goals, surpassing any previous attempt made in recent past. I am also pleased to say that we are currently celebrating our 25th anniversary here at Lock Haven University of Pennsylvania. It has been a great 25 years here at the Phi Mu Chi Chapter, and hopefully the next 25 years will be

even better. I hope everyone has a great year and hopefully soon all of the brothers, past and present, of the Phi Mu Chi chapter of Alpha Chi Rho Will all become one once again.



### Spring Formal 2008

It's that time of the year again when the crows of the Phi Mu Chi chapter get all dressed up and find themselves a lovely someone to escort to our 25th anniversary spring formal. This years formal will be held on April 12, 2008 at Perkins banquet hall in Lamar, Pennsylvania. We are encouraging any and all alumni to attend this very special occasion. We have had tremen-

dous success in the past with exceptional alumni turnout, as active brothers got to reunite with recent alumni and some new crows got to meet some truly great people. The Tickets will be 60 dollars per couple and will start at 5:30 Pm. For More information please contact Matt Chiplonia at [mchiplon@lhup.edu](mailto:mchiplon@lhup.edu).

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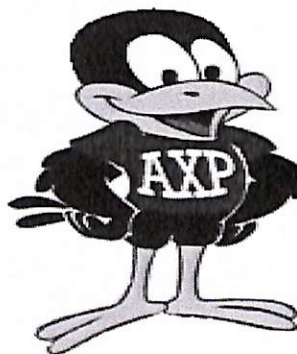
## Crow Bowl 2007

I would like to congratulate all the brothers of the Phi Mu Chi chapter for a wonderful performance at the 2007 Crow bowl which was held at Lasalle University. The brothers put on a very strong performance and came away with a very respectable 3rd place finish. I would like to personally thank all of our alumni that were able to be there with the current brothers of Phi Mu Chi. We had a wonderful time with everyone there, and we hope that even more alumni will be able to join us next year.



## Golf Tournament

The brothers of Phi Mu Chi are currently having financial problems, and we are trying to set up the first annual Alpha Chi Rho Golf tournament. We would like to try and set up a tournament with teams of four. We are currently in progress of looking for sponsors and a golf course. We would love for everyone to get together for a day of fun. Anyone that would be interested please contact Brother Dan Woznisky at [dwoznisk@lhup.edu](mailto:dwoznisk@lhup.edu) or Brother Patrick Featherman at [pfeather@lhup.edu](mailto:pfeather@lhup.edu)



## Community Service

The brothers of the Phi Mu Chi chapter have been very active with the community this past year. The brothers have been doing highway clean ups, fish fries, a turkey trot, and we just finished up working with the Special Olympics. We the brothers are trying to put a good word out around town about our Fraternity. As everyone knows fraternities do not have the greatest reputation in this country, so we are trying to make a difference for once, we are trying to show everyone the great things that fraternities do for the community. If we could start changing the way people think about fraternities in our town, hopefully people around the rest of the country

could see the good things that fraternities have to offer.

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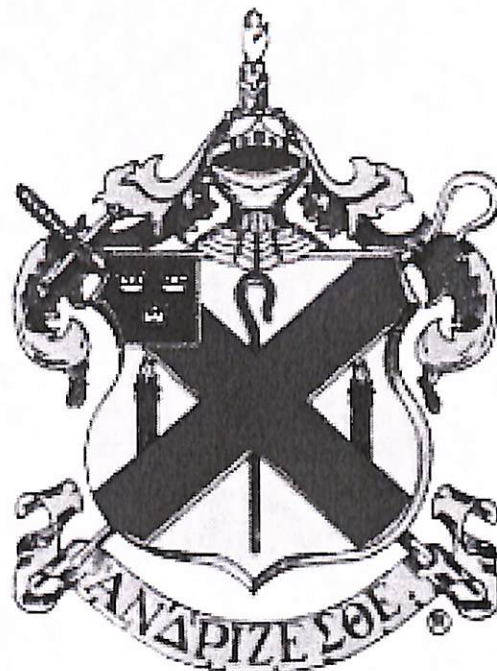
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# Alpha Chi Rho

## 1st Annual Golf Tournament



Event: 4-Person Modified Golf Scramble

Place: Belles Springs Golf Course in  
Mackeyville, PA

Date: May 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2008

Check-In: Begins at 9:00 AM      Tee Times: Begin at 10:00 AM

Entry Fee: \$75.00 (Pre-register with payment in by April 26<sup>th</sup> 2008)  
\$85.00 (Pre- register with payment after April 26<sup>th</sup> 2008)

Prizes will be given for longest drive, closest to the pin, low net, etc. Our grand prizes are a multi-night/day trip to the Shawnee Inn and Golf Resort in the Poconos and also a round of holes for four also at the Shawnee Inn and Golf Resort. Many other great door prizes will also be distributed. Food and beverages will be provided at an outing picnic.

If you would also like to purchase a hole sponsorship or have any questions or concerns, please contact Nate Roman at (267) 614-1772.

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### Registration Form

Detach and send w/payment to Nate Roman @ 316 N. Henderson Street, Lock Haven,  
PA 17745

Golfer #1: \_\_\_\_\_

Team Contact/Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Golfer #2: \_\_\_\_\_

Team Contact Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Golfer #3: \_\_\_\_\_

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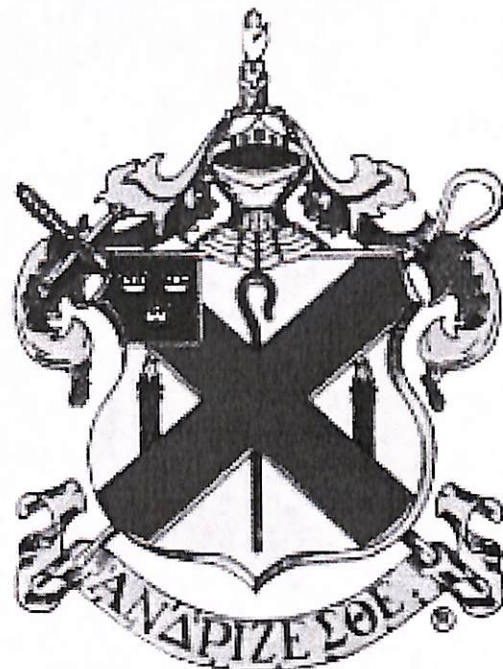
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\_\_\_\_\_ golfers @ \$75.00 each \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Total

Please make checks payable to: Alpha Chi Rho

# Alpha Chi Rho

## 1st Annual Golf Tournament



Alpha Chi Rho, a fraternity of Lock Haven University, will be opening an annual golf tournament on May 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2008. Each hole will have signs placed at the tee box and green for sponsors. In addition, special thanks flyers, with all donors' information on them, will be handed out to golfers along with their gift packages. We would greatly appreciate your donation to our not-for-profit organization. Every golfer in the tournament as well as other golfers who are on the course for this day will see that you have generously donated to help our organization with this vast event. Sponsorships for the holes will be \$150.00 per sign. A tax identification number will be available upon the receipt of your donation and any other information is available upon request.

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### Sponsorship Form

Sponsor Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsor Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsor Location: \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsor Information:  
(For Sign: i.e. quotes, slogans, or pictures)

Please make checks payable to: Alpha Chi Rho